

MEMORANDUM FOR: Legislative Counsel

Re: Attached letter

If you are interested, please let
me know and I will alert you when
a meeting is set up.

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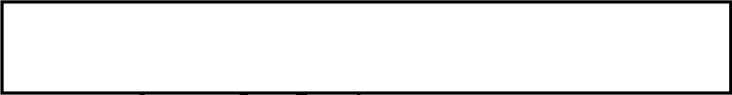
Ms. Barbara Allen Babcock
Ms. Patricia M. Wald
Assistant Attorneys General
Department of Justice
Washington, D.C. 20530

Dear Ms. Babcock and Ms. Wald:

I have received your letter of 14 November suggesting that we discuss proposed legislation which would amend the Federal Tort Claims Act to include constitutional torts and to make the United States the exclusive defendant under the Act. You are correct in assuming that we are interested in the outcome of congressional consideration of this legislation. I will be more than happy, therefore, to meet with you on this subject at your convenience.

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Sincerely,


Anthony A. Lapham
General Counsel